



HOUSE BILL No. 1429

DIGEST OF HB 1429 (Updated February 23, 2009 5:56 pm - DI 106)

Citations Affected: IC 6-3.1; noncode.

Synopsis: Tax credit for parent care expenses. Provides an income tax credit against a resident individual's Indiana adjusted gross income tax for certain parent care expenses. Specifies that the credit is 100% of the parent care expenses, the taxpayer's income tax liability, or \$5,000, whichever is least.

Effective: July 1, 2009.

Bartlett, Walorski

January 13, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs.

February 19, 2009, reported — Do Pass.
February 23, 2009, read second time, amended, ordered engrossed.







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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. IC 6-3.1-33 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
2	AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3	JULY 1, 2009]:

Chapter 33. Parent Care Tax Credit for Individuals

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "parent" means a father or mother.

- Sec. 2. (a) As used in this chapter, "parent care expenses" means amounts paid by a taxpayer:
 - (1) for:
 - (A) household services for;
- (B) housing modifications, including making a residence handicap accessible, in order to provide care for; or
- 13 (C) the care of;
 - a father or mother who has the same principal place of abode as the taxpayer for more than fifty percent (50%) of the taxable year; and
- 17 (2) to enable the parent to avoid long term care services being



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provided to the parent at a hospital licensed under IC 16-21	
or operated under IC 16-22 or at a health facility licensed	
under IC 16-28.	
(b) The term does not include an amount paid for services	
outside the taxpayer's household.	
Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "taxpayer" means an individual	
who is a resident taxpayer for the taxable year and includes the	
individual's spouse in the case of a joint return.	
Sec. 4. (a) A taxpayer may claim a credit under this chapter in	
each taxable year equal to the least of:	4
(1) the taxpayer's parent care expenses for the taxable year;	
(2) the taxpayer's adjusted gross income tax liability for the	
taxable year; or	
(3) five thousand dollars (\$5,000).	
(b) If the taxpayer resides in Indiana for less than the taxpayer's	
entire taxable year, the total amount of the credit shall be reduced	4
to an amount that bears the same ratio to the total as the	
taxpayer's income taxable in Indiana bears to the taxpayer's total	
income.	
Sec. 5. To obtain a credit under this chapter, a taxpayer must	
claim the credit in the manner prescribed by the department. The	
taxpayer must submit to the department all information that the	
department determines to be necessary for the calculation of the	
credit provided by this chapter.	
SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009] IC 6-3.1-33, as added	
by this act, applies only to taxable years beginning after December	
31, 2009.	7
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	under IC 16-28. (b) The term does not include an amount paid for services outside the taxpayer's household. Sec. 3. As used in this chapter, "taxpayer" means an individual who is a resident taxpayer for the taxable year and includes the individual's spouse in the case of a joint return. Sec. 4. (a) A taxpayer may claim a credit under this chapter in each taxable year equal to the least of: (1) the taxpayer's parent care expenses for the taxable year; (2) the taxpayer's adjusted gross income tax liability for the taxable year; or (3) five thousand dollars (\$5,000). (b) If the taxpayer resides in Indiana for less than the taxpayer's entire taxable year, the total amount of the credit shall be reduced to an amount that bears the same ratio to the total as the taxpayer's income taxable in Indiana bears to the taxpayer's total income. Sec. 5. To obtain a credit under this chapter, a taxpayer must claim the credit in the manner prescribed by the department. The taxpayer must submit to the department all information that the department determines to be necessary for the calculation of the credit provided by this chapter. SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009] IC 6-3.1-33, as added by this act, applies only to taxable years beginning after December



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs, to which was referred House Bill 1429, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SUMMERS, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Bill 1429 be amended to read as follows:

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 42.

Delete page 3.

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 20.

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1429 as printed February 20, 2009.)

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